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Urs Mosimann

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FORMALITIES LETTER

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20686 DORSEY & WHITNEY, LLP **SUITE 4700** 370 SEVENTEENTH STREET DENVER, CO 80202-5647

Date Mailed: 06/29/2001

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

The following item(s) appear to have been **omitted** from the application:

- Figure(s) 4 and 10 described in the specification.
- I. Should applicant contend that the above-noted omitted item(s) was in fact deposited in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) with the nonprovisional application papers, a copy of this Notice and a petition (and \$130.00 petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h))) with evidence of such deposit must be filed within TWO MONTHS of the date of this Notice. The petition fee will be refunded if is determined that the item(s) was





received by the USPTO.

II. Should applicant desire to supply the omitted item(s) and accept the date that such omitted item(s) was filed in the USPTO as the filing date of the above-identified application, a copy of this Notice, the omitted item(s) (with a supplemental oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 and 1.64 referring to such items), and a petition under 37 CFR 1.182 (with the \$130.00 petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h)) requesting the later filing date must be filed within TWO MONTHS of the date of this Notice.

III. The failure to file a petition (and petition fee) under the above options (I) or (II) within TWO MONTHS of the date of this Notice (37 CFR 1.181(f)) will be treated as a constructive acceptance by the applicant of the application as deposited in the USPTO. THIS TWO MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) or (b). In the absence of a timely filed petition in reply to this Notice, the application will maintain a filing date as of the date of deposit of the application papers in the USPTO, and original application papers (i.e., the original disclosure of the invention) will include only those application papers present in the USPTO on the date of deposit.

In the event that applicant elects not to take action pursuant to options (I) or (II) above (thereby constructively electing option (III)), amendment of the specification to renumber the pages consecutively and cancel incomplete sentences caused by any omitted page(s), and/or amendment of the specification to cancel all references to any omitted drawing(s), relabel the drawing figures to be numbered consecutively (if necessary), and correct the references in the specification to the drawing figures to correspond with any relabelled drawing figures, is required. Any drawing changes should be accompanied by a copy of the drawing figures showing the proposed changes in red ink. Such amendment and/or correction to the drawing figures, if necessary, should be by way of preliminary amendment submitted prior to the first Office action to avoid delays in the prosecution of the application.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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-	Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit		
09/848,105		May 2, 2001	Not Yet Assigned	3764		
Inver	ntion:					
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	s a response to the une 29, 2001 Date	Notice to File Missing Parts of A	pplication - Filing Date Granted (PT	O-1533) mailed on		
Enclo	sed herewith for fili	ng are the following:				
\boxtimes	□ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533). (REQUIRED)					
	An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.					
\boxtimes	A properly signed Application Number		ee with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the	application by the above		
	An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.					
. 🗖	A verified English translation of the non-English language application papers as originally filed. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.					
	Other (list):					
	Copy of the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) Filing Date Granted					
	Photocopies of the following documents which were filed with the USPTO on August 27, 2001:Petition Regarding Allegedly Omitted Figures 4 and 10;Substitute Drawings in Compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.84;Copy of Application as filed on May 2, 2001, including Certificate of Mailing and original drawings and Appendix;					
	Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts;Check for \$130.00;Certificate of Mailing; and					
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Response T Filing	Docket No. 11006.00						
In Re Application Of: Urs MOSIMANN et al	•						
Serial No. 09/848,105	Filing Date May 2, 2001	Examiner Not Yet Assigned	Group Art Unit 3764				
Invention: EXERCISE DEVICE WITH BODY EXTENSION MECHANISM							
TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:							
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☑ Completion of a	□ Completion of application fees as calculated below:						
☐ Utility appl	☐ Utility application filing fee						
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Surcharge	Surcharge for late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath \$130.00						
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☐ Fee for processing and retention of application							
		Total completion of ap	oplication fees \$130.00				
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the above-identified Notice to File Missing Parts of Application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired). If an additional time extension is required, please consider this a petition therefor.							
☐ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months							
from:	August 30, 2001 Date		er 29, 2001				
		Total time	extension fees \$920.00				
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Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) (Large Entity)

Docket No. 11006.00

In Re Application Of:

Urs MOSIMANN et al.

Serial No. 09/848,105

Filing Date May 2, 2001

Examiner Not Yet Assigned **Group Art Unit**

3764

Invention:

EXERCISE DEVICE WITH BODY EXTENSION MECHANISM

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

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The fee of \$1,050.00 is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-1415 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☑ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 04-1415 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: November 29, 2001

Robert J. Scheffel, Reg. No. 43,090 DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP USPTO Customer No. 20686

certify that this document and fee is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence

cc: Schwinn Cycling & Fitness Inc. **Docketing**